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24 June 1971

## MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Availability of Additional Year-end Funds

1. I again inquired of AC/PS/DDS about the availability of year-end funds (I had earlier approached him on this on 9 June.). I explained that we have a list of medical equipment items -- with the cost of the total list some \$52,000 -- that we would like to procure if such funds are available.

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2. [REDACTED] indicated that the picture in this respect still does not look encouraging. Unlike previous years when "loose ends" could be found and used for equipment purchases, there are few such funds this year. O/PPB has, he believes, finished allocating any FY 1971 surpluses and these consisted of funding for very large items. Unless some desired item was of the highest priority ("awfully important") he would not recommend it be requested of O/PPB. And even if it were an item of such great importance, it would still be a matter of taking funds from somebody else, i.e., telling some component that they could not do something. Under the present circumstances he would be reluctant to do this and would recommend against it.

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3. [REDACTED] volunteered that he would keep our interest in mind, and if any change develops in the current status of FY 1971 funds he will let us know.

4. AD/MS, C/CD and C/SD were briefed on the above.

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Executive Officer

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